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AQUATIC ECOSYSTEMS (02.02-13)

REFERENCE: STATE 60478, MOSCOW 5463

1. PLEASE PASS FOLLOWING DATED MAY 10, 1977, TO PROF.  
I. V. BUTORIN, DIRECTOR, INSTITUTE OF BIOLOGY OF INLAND  
WATERS, USSR ACADEMY OF SCIENCES, NEKOUZKIY RAYON,  
YAROSLAVSKAYA OBLAST, P/O BOROK 152742, WITH COPY TO  
KAZAKOV OF HYDROMET.

2. "DEAR DR. BUTORIN: I AM WRITING TO FINALIZE PLANS FOR  
OUR PROPOSED JUNE MEETING UNDER PROJECT 02.02-13.

IN HIS LETTER OF APRIL 8, 1977, DR. LOZANSKIY INFORMED  
DR. DAVIES THAT THE JOINT SCIENTIFIC WORK PROPOSED FOR  
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PROJECTS 02.03-12 AND -13 COULD BE CARRIED OUT IN JUNE. HE  
ALSO SUGGESTED THE DATES OF JUNE 13 THROUGH 17 FOR A WORKING  
GROUP MEETING.

TO DATE, WE HAVE NOT RECEIVED ANY WORD FROM YOU AS TO  
THE ACCEPTABILITY OF OUR PROPOSAL FOR THE SCIENTIFIC PART OF  
OUR VISIT. IT IS IMPERATIVE THAT WE RECEIVE FIRM WRITTEN

CONFIRMATION OF THE DATES AND LOCATIONS OF THESE MEETINGS AS SOON AS POSSIBLE SO THAT OUR VISA APPLICATIONS MAY BE PROCESSED, AND OUR FINAL PREPARATIONS FOR THE VISIT COMPLETED.

THE AMERICAN DELEGATION FOR PROJECT 02.02-13, CONSISTING OF DR. B. THOMAS JOHNSON, DR. R. VANCE THURSTON, AND ME, IS PLANNING TO ARRIVE IN MOSCOW ON JUNE 5 AT 1810 ON LUFTHANSA FLIGHT 342. WE ALL ANTICIPATE TAKING PART IN THE SCIENTIFIC WORK FOR THE FIRST WEEK, AFTER WHICH I WILL JOIN DR. DAVIES AND SEVERAL OTHER AMERICAN DELEGATES FOR THE WORKING GROUP MEETING WITH DR. LOZANSKIY. DRS. JOHNSON AND THURSTON WILL CONTINUE WITH THE SCIENTIFIC WORK AND DEPART MOSCOW ON JULY 5. I PLAN TO DEPART FROM MOSCOW ON JUNE 19 AT 1540 ON AIR FRANCE FLIGHT 721.

IN MY LETTER OF MARCH 18, I INDICATED A LIST OF INSTITUTES DRS. THURSTON AND JOHNSON WOULD LIKE TO VISIT. IF POSSIBLE, THEY WOULD LIKE TO MEET WITH THE FOLLOWING SCIENTISTS AT THOSE INSTITUTES:

A. Y. I. SOROKIN, INSTITUTE OF INLAND WATER BIOLOGY, USSR ACADEMY OF SCIENCES (BOROK), TO DISCUSS MICROBIAL PHYSIOLOGY;

B. V. I. ROMANENKO, INSTITUTE OF INLAND WATER BIOLOGY, USSR ACADEMY OF SCIENCES (BOROK), TO DISCUSS PRODUCTIVITY;  
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C. S. I. KUZNETSOV, INSTITUTE OF MICROBIOLOGY, USSR ACADEMY OF SCIENCES (MOSCOW), TO DISCUSS MICROBIAL PHYSIOLOGY;

D. L. P. BRAGINSKY, INSTITUTE OF HYDROBIOLOGY, USSR ACADEMY OF SCIENCES (KIEV), TO DISCUSS ALGAE TOXICOLOGY AND BIOCHEMISTRY;

E. V. I. LUK'YANENKO, CENTRAL INSTITUTE OF STURGEON FISHERY (ASTRAKHAN), TO DISCUSS AQUATIC TOXICOLOGY AND FISH CULTURE METHODS;

F. LIMNOLOGICAL INSTITUTE, LISTVENNICHNAYA (LAKE BAIKAL), TO DISCUSS OLIGOTROPHIC LAKE MICROFLORA;

G. V. E. ZAIKA, INSTITUTE OF BIOLOGY OF THE SOUTH SEAS, ACADEMY OF SCIENCES OF UKRAINE SSR (SEVASTOPOL), TO DISCUSS MARINE SEDIMENT AND MICROFLORA;

H. B. L. GUTELMACHER, LABORATORY OF LIMNOLOGY,  
ZOOLOGICAL INSTITUTE, USSR ACADEMY OF SCIENCES (LENINGRAD),  
TO DISCUSS AQUATIC TOXICOLOGY;

I. AKADEMGORODOK (NOVOSIBIRSK), TO DISCUSS AQUATIC  
POLLUTION RESEARCH.

WE ASK THAT YOU RESPOND WITHOUT DELAY. WE ARE LOOKING  
FORWARD TO A SERIES OF FRUITFUL MEETINGS. SINCERELY,  
WAYLAND SWAIN" CHRISTOPHER

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